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ALL PURPOSE EGG MIX, INVITATION NO. 01, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-260

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell all purpose egg mix as indicated below and per the Announcement for school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, June 3. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, June 7. Deliveries are to be made from July 16 to July 31.

This invitation for offers to sell all purpose egg mix is in response to the April 16 announcement by the Department to provide assistance for the egg laying industry, which has faced difficult economic times. Product must be produced under the Commodity Specification for All Purpose Egg Mix dated April 1998, as amended.

As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, all offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at <https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?>. Offers submitted on and after October 1, 2001, by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-260; Appendix-1; the Commodity Specification for All Purpose Egg Mix dated April 1998, as amended; or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260, 1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at <http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp>.

Purchases will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-260, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Pouches (076048) - All purpose egg mix packaged in plastic laminated foil pouches, 6 ounces (170 g) to each pouch and 18 pounds (8.16 kg) net in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 2,000 shipping containers (forty-eight 6-ounce (170-g) pouches each) totaling 36,000 pounds (16,329 kg) net weight.

Polyethylene Bags (076010) - All purpose egg mix packaged in polyethylene bags, 10 pounds (4.54 kg) to each bag and 40 pounds (18.14 kg) net in each fiberboard shipping container. A purchase unit will consist of 1,000 shipping containers (four 10-pound) (4.54-kg) polyethylene bags each) totaling 40,000 pounds (18,144 kg) net weight.

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY260
INVITATION : 001
COMM GROUP : 07 EGG MIX
COMM TYPE : 60 EGG MIX, DRIED
PACK SIZE : 10 4/10 LB BAG

ITEM NO	DESTINATION CITY	ST	TRANS RESTR	QUANTITY (LBS)
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DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/02 - 07/31/02				
001	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
002	ALTOONA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
	WILKES-BARRE	PA	TRUCK ONLY	20,000
003	PHILADELPHIA	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
004	SUNBURY	PA	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
005	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	40,000
006	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	80,000
007	HARAHAN	LA		40,000
008	MCALESTER	OK		40,000
009	INDEPENDENCE	MO		40,000
010	FRESNO	CA		40,000
011	EMMETT	ID		16,000
	KENT	WA		14,000
	SPOKANE	WA		10,000

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DELIVERY PERIOD 07/16/02 - 07/31/02				
012	CONCORD	NH	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
013	JACKSONVILLE/FAS	FL	FAS	36,000
014	VINELAND	NJ		36,000
015	CHARLESTON	WV		36,000
016	WINTER HAVEN	FL		36,000
017	MOBILE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	10,800
	WINTER HAVEN	FL	TRUCK ONLY	25,200
018	COLUMBIA	SC	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
019	MAPLEWOOD	MN	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
020	CORPUS CHRISTI	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
021	HOUSTON	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
022	VICTORIA	TX	TRUCK ONLY	36,000
023	CONCORDIA	KS	TRUCK ONLY	18,000
	OMAHA	NE	TRUCK ONLY	18,000
024	LAS VEGAS	NV	TRUCK ONLY	19,440
	RENO	NV	TRUCK ONLY	16,560

TOTAL QUANTITY FOR COMMODITY TYPE 948,000

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Contracting Officer

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